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Amendments to the Drawings

The attached sheet of drawings includes changes to Fig. 25. This sheet replaces original sheet

containing Fig. 25. In original Fig. 25, element no. 413 was inadvertently labeled as 412. This

error is corrected in replacement Fig. 25 and brings Fig. 25 into conformance with Paragraph

00119 as originally filed. An annotated copy of the replacement sheet is herewith enclosed.

Attachment: Replacement Sheet

Annotated Sheet Showing Changes

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REMARKS

At the outset, Applicant wishes to express appreciation to Examiner Ngo for determining that the subject application contains patentable subject matter.

Claims 1-12, 22, 23, 33-38, 47-71 and 118-144 are pending in the application. Claims 47 and 118-127 stand rejected. Claims 1-12, 22-38, 48-71 and 128-144 are objected to, but would be allowable if rewritten in independent form to include the limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims from which they depend.¹

In the present Amendment, Applicant has rewritten objected to claim 1 in independent format as claim 145 and new claims 146-156 correspond to claims 2-12. Claims 157-162, which depend directly or indirectly from claim 145, correspond to claims 33-38, respectively. Objected to claim 48 has been rewritten in independent form as claim 163 and claims 164 and 165, which depend from claim 164, correspond to claims 22 and 23, respectively. Claims 166-180 correspond to claims 49-63, respectively. Objected to claim 64 has been rewritten in independent form as claim 181 and claims 182-188, correspond to claims 65-71, respectively. Objected to claim 128 has been rewritten in independent form as 189 and objected to claim 129 has been rewritten in independent form as 199 with one change. Claim 199 clarifies that the at least one communication signal device is supported by at least one of the first, second and third mast segments. Claims 200-214 correspond to claims 130-144, respectively.

Applicant also respectfully requests permission to correct an inadvertent labeling error in Figure 25. As indicated above, Replacement Figure brings that Figure into conformance with the specification as originally filed.

Applicant respectfully submits that all of the pending claims are in condition for allowance. Accordingly reconsideration of the prior objections and rejections and passage to allowance at an early date are earnestly solicited. However, if the Examiner has any remaining

Pursuant to a telephone conversation between Examiner Ngo and Applicant's undersigned attorney on February 16, 2007, and as indicated in the Interview Summary dated February 26, 2007, claims 64-71 are also objected to.

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concerns regarding any of the pending claims, he is invited to contact the Applicant's undersigned attorney at the telephone number listed below so that those concerns may be expeditiously addressed.

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